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On this paper and see how you  
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money, but the fellows we owe  
do, and we'd like to satisfy them.

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Saint Nicholas finds the boys and girls of this neighborhood have been so extremely good, that he desires of being able to reward them all in person. So he has formed a temporary partnership with our firm. We are the "Co." in the concern. He has crowded our store with myriads of things dear to juvenile hearts, and insist only that we name

## :- Rock Bottom Prices :-

In addition to toys and knick-knacks and children's goods in general, we show an endless profusion of sensible and elegant gifts, goods for people of all sorts, and purses of all degrees of fineness. We should like a chance to show them to you.  
Popular musical toys at all prices.  
100 China sets for little made @ 10c.  
Fine photo albums @ 34, 40, 74, and 95c.  
Dolls without end @ 2, 10, and 15c.  
See our French bisque dolls 25 in. long @ 34c. worth 75c.  
Superior French bisque dolls, dressed, a 75c. worth \$1.25.  
Wood playthings, pleasing and durable.  
China cups and saucers a. 24 and 35c.  
French China sets, cup, saucer and plate a. 40c. worth 75c.  
An endless variety of dainty China novelties.  
Fine toilet soaps, 6 cakes in box, a. 10c. per box.  
40c. Water set with hammered brass waiter a. 95c. worth \$1.25.  
Elegant cut glass cruet set with tray a. 95c. worth \$1.25.  
Superior cut glass castors a. 40, 75c. and \$1.00 worth twice the money.  
Glass syrup sugar and oil sets, a. 10c. worth 25c.  
Assort. styles of fine glass bowls, with and without covers only 10c.  
See our drummer, suffers worth 25c. anywhere, only 10c.  
A large line of chamber sets in French, China hand painted and fine decorated goods at popular prices. Also an elegant line of French decorated China tea and dinner sets at all prices.  
A good hair brush, a good cloth brush only 10c.  
Linen picture books for the little ones a. 5, and 10c.  
Our 10c. leader, 34 sheet paper and 24 envelopes in decorated box only 10c.  
See our large crystal glass pitcher only 10c. worth 25c.  
Several assort. styles French plate hand mirrors a. 5 and 10c.  
Don't forget that our 5c. and 10c.

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We have a big stock of fine imported silk mufflers in hand painted goods, stripes and checks, and all the newest shades of rock bottom prices.  
Ladies and Gents' fine imported linen handkerchiefs. In plain, white, hemstitched and borders.  
Fine silk umbrellas with new style handles at popular prices. A large line of German linen towels, linen throws in assort. styles. A fine line of white and colored table linens. Ask to see these goods, at prices to please.

## Clothing

Our stock in this department was never excellent for quality, style and low prices. Should you want anything in the clothing line, we can please you, both in style, quality and price. Try us.

## Dress Goods

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## Boots, Shoes and Rubbers

Do you need shoes or boots or rubbers of any kind, style or quality? Call and see us, we are headquarters for all kinds of shoes, and at lowest prices.  
Don't forget to get the place.

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Has secured during 1892

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## MERRY CHRISTMAS IS COMING.

By H. C. Dodge in Detroit Free Press.

Hurrah for merry Christmas Time! It comes but once a year. But when it comes—to everyone it brings a goodly cheer. It makes good will and peace and love reign over all the earth. And homes, however humble, all resound with joyous mirth. Within, beneath the mistletoe, Yule logs blaze warm and bright. Without the hills and dales are clad in snowy mantle white. The little girls and boys, so good, have each a beaming face. And letters no one else can read to Santa Claus they trace. They dream about his coming with his reindeer and his sleigh until they don't know how, alas, to wait for Christmas day. The very biggest stockings that dear mamma has got to hang up by the chimney for each eager little tot. For well they know that Santa Claus will enter with a bound and fill the row of stockings when they are sleeping sound. Plum puddings rich, mince pies and cakes are being made with care. To give us such a jolly feast on royal Christmas fare. The old folks, all made young again, crowd in the store with glee and smuggle home big bundles for the Merry Christmas tree. And, thinking only how they may make others happy show and feel the sweetest joy there is for Heaven to bestow. Hurrah! for Christmas now is near. Get out the stockings, quick, and hang them by the chimney grate, all ready for St. Nick.

### Road Laws.

The problem of improving country roads is engaging the attention of the people in several States more than at any previous period, and no State needs agitation on the subject more than Kentucky.

Mr. Kirk, of Pittsburg, has prepared a road law, and submitted it for discussion to the people of Pennsylvania, and a similar law is proposed in Virginia. Mr. Kirk's law provides:

"First—For the appointment by the Governor of a State Superintendent of Roads, to serve during the Governor's term of office and every four years thereafter, to be elected when the Governor is elected, by popular vote, and to receive a salary of four thousand dollars a year, giving bond in the sum of twenty thousand dollars.

"Second—The appointment by the State Superintendent of a County Superintendent for each county, subordinate to State Superintendent, with a salary of three thousand dollars, and bonding in ten thousand dollars, State Superintendent to have supreme control over all roads and bridges and to report annually to the Governor.

"Third—An issue annually for ten successive years of bonds for six millions of dollars, bearing interest at 3 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually. All moneys received to be in the custody of the State Treasurer, who shall distribute the sum to be expended annually among the counties, according to a specified plan.

"Fourth—The imposition of a general road tax, to be levied on all property alike, whether in cities or boroughs, or rural districts, and including in the levy all railroad and other chartered corporations, mills, furnaces or factories.

"Fifth—The assessment of a poll tax of one dollar per head on all male citizens over twenty-one years of age, with loss of vote at the succeeding election in default of payment."

The proposed Virginia law is simple in its provisions, and more practical in its application. It provides for the appointment of a Chief Engineer by the Board of Public Works, to have charge of all the roads of the State, the work upon the roads to be done by convicts. The Chief Engineer is to appoint a resident engineer and subordinate officers. The general supervision of the convict forces is to be under control of the Superintendent of the Treasury, but the direction of the work of the convicts is to be in charge of the Chief Engineer, together with the appointment of all foremen, guards and free laborers. The salaries of the officers are left in blank.

It is understood that Mr. Gardiner, the Representative from Jefferson county in the approaching Legislature, has devoted considerable study to the matter, and will introduce a bill on the subject as soon as that body assembles. He is particularly anxious to protect the people of Jefferson county from the oppressions and abuse which they have suffered from the turnpike companies. He could not render his constituents a more valuable service.—Louisville Post.

Brighten up; you don't have to plank down a fortune; you can get Salvation Oil for 25 cents.

Gilded five-cent pieces are going for five-dollar gold pieces, but Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup needs no gilding to make it go. Price only 25 cents.

It looks now as if Green R. Keller, of the Carlisle Mercury, would be elected Clerk, and James E. Stone, of Breckenridge county, would be the assistant Clerk. Mr. Stone is one of the best clerks and one of the most polite and agreeable gentlemen we ever knew, and in addition has a rich, clear and musical voice which can be distinctly heard without effort. A better man could not be elected to the position he aspires.—Russellville Herald.

From the Goldboro (N. C.) Headlight.

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### LONG BRANCH.

School closes to-morrow (Thursday.)  
Miss Ella Hendrick spent Sunday in the lower bottom.

Master Frank Holliday is on the sick list with typhoid fever.

Several of the ladies were in Brandenburg shopping last week.

Mr. Geo. Renolds and Sim Dooley are expected home from Ohio this week.

Miss Annie Fontaine, of Brandenburg, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. C. McGehee.

Mr. Chas. Crawford, foreman of the Ky., Heating and Lightning Co., went to Eureka last week in the interest of the company.

Mr. David Murray attorney for the railroad came up last week and settled the stock claims in this neighborhood, satisfactory to all parties.

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### Attention Old Soldiers.

All soldiers of Meade county are requested to meet at the court-house in Brandenburg on the first Saturday in January, at 1 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of making arrangements preparatory to organize a Grand Army Post at Brandenburg. All soldiers who read this will please send word to others to come. The object of the order is exclusively for mutual social intercourse, help and relief, the same as in other social orders. By order of many soldiers, all of whom we hope will promptly assist.

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E. R. BONDURANT,  
and others.

### The Pathogenic Microbe.

Or poison bearing germ, exercises a most destructive influence, and continually waging war against health. Innumerable is this mighty foe, and but few escape his injury. Entering the system through the blood, this poisonous germ infects every part of the body, and spreads its deadly virus everywhere.

Under ordinary conditions it multiplies rapidly, and soon maintains a stronghold upon the human body. To overcome this enemy, and put an end to its destruction has for a long while occupied the time and energies of scientists. Their labors have at last been rewarded with success, and a most important discovery has thus been made known to the world. It has been shown that this germ can be forced from the body through the pores of the skin, and that this is the only method by which a permanent and sure cure of diseases of the blood can be effected. S. S. S. has for years been curing blood diseases and their results, and it is by this method of eliminating all impurities through the skin that it has performed its great work. All manner of complaints having their origin in an impure and disordered condition of the blood have been successfully treated by this unrivaled blood medicine. Being purely a vegetable preparation S. S. S. is entirely harmless, and no bad effects result from its use.

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### A Good Pair of Pullets.

MR. EDITOR: I have two pullets, I raised last Spring, of the White Wyandotte breed, they have laid 50 eggs in the last four weeks, they are still laying.

Mrs. G. M. YOUNGER,

Dec. 14 1891.

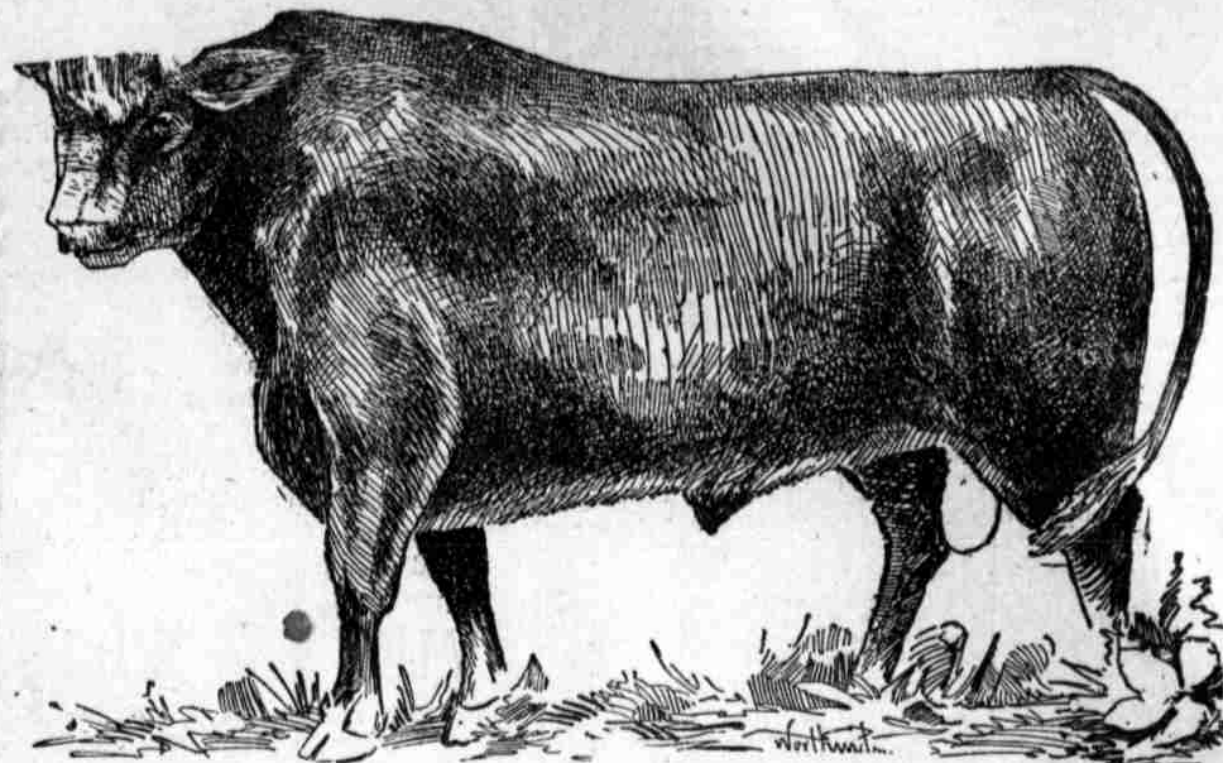
There was Tom, the son of the Piper, Jack Spratt, and Merry King Cole, And the Three Wise Men of Gotham, Who went to sea in a bowl; The woman who rode on a broomstick, And swept the cobwebbed sky, And the boy who sat in the corner, Eating his Christmas pie. There were some of the old favorites, but they have been supplanted by the "Pansy" and "Chatterbox" stories, "Little Lord Fauntleroy," and "Five Little Pipers." The Old fashioned pills and physics have been superseded, and wisely, too, by Pierce's Purgative Pellets, a mild, harmless and effective cathartic. They are pleasant to take—so gentle in their action that the most delicate child can take them, yet so effective that they will cure the most obstinate cases of constipation, stomach, liver and bowel troubles. They should be in every nursery. As a gentle laxative, only one or a dose.

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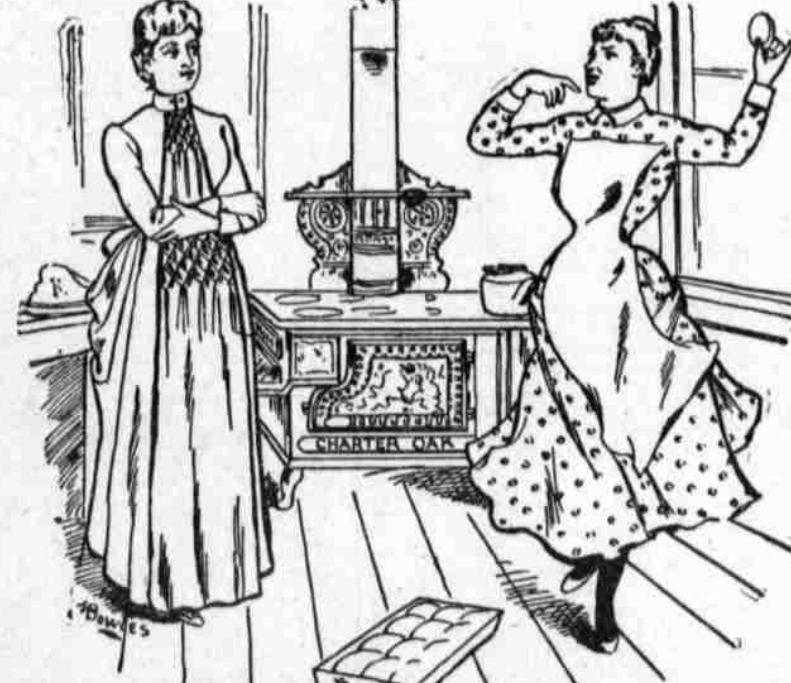
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SERVANT—Oh, every bit as well, Ma'am.  
LADY OF THE HOUSE—I am expecting a friend to take dinner with us next week, on purpose to show her how nice our stove cooks everything, and I want you to have a nice dinner for us.  
SERVANT—Indeed I will, Ma'am. There's no trouble to cook nice with that stove. The Fire Gaze Green Doors makes it so much easier than other stoves I have been used to, and I have so much more time to make everything just right. Just look at that roll! I never have had luck with bread, biscuits or cake, now.  
LADY OF THE HOUSE—Why, how do you explain it?  
SERVANT—Well, I don't have to watch everything so close for fear it will burn. You know how careful you have to be with a faked mustard, it is so apt to burn on top before it is baked through. The Charter Oak bakes it perfectly without any danger of burning. And then in roasting a turkey, I don't have to keep basting it every five minutes. It roasts beautifully brown without it, and without drying it up like the tight ovens do. And you know how crisp the biscuits are without being hard and tough. You always praised my biscuits, but if it wasn't for the wire gauge oven door I know they wouldn't be near as nice. I hope I'll never have to cook anywhere again where they haven't got a Charter Oak Stove or range.

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